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THE MUST-READ CONCLUSION OF
"SKY-HIGH HOPSCOTCH"!

AKASHI IS ON THE
BRINK OF REACHING THE
GOAL! BUT IS TASUKU
STILL MOVING SOMETHING?!

HOP
HOP

CHAPTER 102:
IDIOT

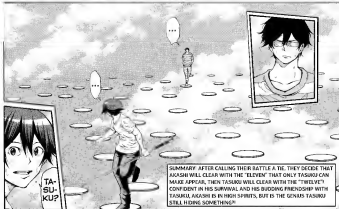
AS THE GODS WILL

THE SECOND SERIES



**BEFORE
11
O'CLOCK
ENDS!!**

**SPELL
OUT
"ELEVEN"
FOR ME,
TASUKU
!!**



SUMMARY: AFTER CALLING THEIR BATTLE A TIE, THEY DECIDE THAT AKASHI WILL CLEAR WITH THE "ELEVEN" THAT ONLY TASUKU CAN MAKE APPEAR, THEN TASUKU WILL CLEAR WITH THE "TWELVE" CONFIDENT IN HIS SURVIVAL AND HIS BUDDING FRIENDSHIP WITH TASUKU. AKASHI IS IN HIGH SPIRITS, BUT IS THE GENIUS TASUKU STILL HIDING SOMETHING?!

**WHO'S
EVER
DEFIED MY
EXPEC-
TATIONS...**

**AKASHI...
YOU'RE
THE
FIRST
PERSON...**



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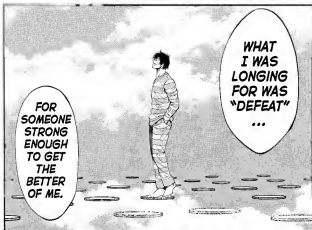
NOW I
KNOW
WHY MY
LIFE
WAS SO
BORING
...

HUH
...

I'LL
ADMIT
IT,
AKASHI.

AND WHAT
IT WAS
THAT I
WAS
LACKING
...

YOU'VE
WON.



FOR
SOMEONE
STRONG
ENOUGH
TO GET
THE
BETTER
OF ME.

WHAT
I WAS
LONGING
FOR WAS
"DEFEAT"

...



TO BE SO
THOR-
OUGHLY
DEFEATED

...

IT FEELS
UNEX-
PECTEDLY
REFRESH-
ING...



AKA-
SHI

...

DIDN'T
YOU JUST
SAY WE'D
SETTLE
THIS IN
THE NEXT
GAME?

WE
TIED,
RIGHT?

WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?



DASH

I
REALLY
HATE
YOU!

AND CAN'T
RESTRAIN
HIS OWN
FEELINGS.

YOU'RE A
PIECE OF
JUNK WHO'S
ALWAYS
NAIVE ABOUT
TRUSTING
HIS
FRIENDS...



STICK
TO
THAT
WAY
OF
LIFE!

BUT
...





HEY,
TASU-
KU!



THP

YOU
KNOW
WHAT?



FUOOSH



OKAY.

I'M
GLAD I
TRUSTED
YOU!!



HI!

BAM





I'LL
SEE
YOU
ON THE
OTHER
SIDE!!

THANK
YOU!!





*COMBINATION OF "CHICKEN" AND "HENOJIMONOKUJI", WHICH REFERS TO THE FACT
OF AIN ON THE SCATCHOW AND CHICKEN USING THE HIRAGANA FOR "HE", "NO", "HAI", AND "JI"





THE
PLATES
ARE
CRUMBLING
AWAY...?



GAME
...
OVER
...?

WHAT'S
GOING
ON...?

THE
TIME
LIMIT
IS 24
HOURS
...



"24
HOURS"
DIDN'T
MEAN
REAL
TIME...

AH...

DON'T
TELL
ME...





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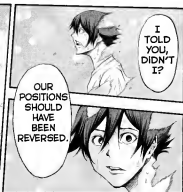
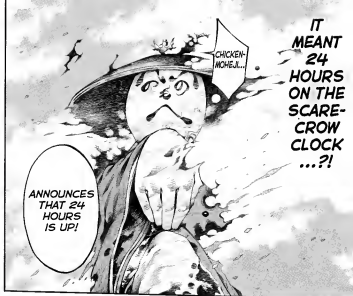


AH...

DON'T
TELL
ME...

"24
HOURS"
DIDN'T
MEAN
REAL
TIME...









IF
ONLY...



MY LIFE
MIGHT
HAVE BEEN
A LITTLE
DIFFERENT...

IF ONLY
I HAD
MET YOU
SOONER

...
DON'T
DIE.

AKASHI
...

...

SO
THIS
IS IT?

AAH...

**SO THIS
IS WHAT
IT FEELS
LIKE...**

**TO
TRUST
ANOTHER
PERSON.**

**IT'S
NOT
SO
BAD
AFTER
ALL...**

**...WHAT
THE
HELL?
DAMN
IT...**



THANKS,
AKASHI...

FOR
MAKING
AN IDIOT
OUT
OF ME...



...FOR
MAKING
ME

HUMAN.



THIS IS THE EDITOR, T-YA!
THE SEASON OF SPRING
GRADUATION IS UPON US!
GIRLS HAVE STARTED TO
WEAR LESS...
HUN? TASUKU! OH, NO
TASUKUUNA! (SOBS)

THERE
ARE
EIGHT
SUR-
VIVORS.



"SKY-
HIGH
HOP-
SCOTCH"
IS COM-
PLETE.

TO BE CONTINUED...